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This application is abandoned in view of:		•				
Applicant's failure to timely file a proper reply to the Of	fice letter mailed on 14 September 200	5				
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2. Applicant's failure to timely pay the required issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, within the statutory period of three months from the mailing date of the Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85).						
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(b) No corrected drawings have been received.						
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6. The decision by the Board of Patent Appeals and Inter of the decision has expired and there are no allowed c	ference rendered on and becaus laims.	se the period for see	eking court review			
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